

A  
M E T H O D  
P R O P O S E D,

For the Hiring and Recording of SERVANTS In  
*HUSBANDRY, ARTS, MISTERIES, &c.*

Offered by Sir THOMAS PARKYNS Bart. One of his Majesty's  
Justices of the Peace for the Counties of Nottingham and Leicester,  
to, and for the perusal and approbation of his Brethren the Justices  
of the Peace of both Counties aforesaid. &c.

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A L S O,  
A Limitation and Appointment  
OF THE SEVERAL RATES OF WAGES OF

*Artificers, Handicraftsmen, Husbandmen, Labourers, Servants  
And Workmen within the Counties of Nottingham and  
Leicester; rated and agreed upon at their General  
Quarter Sessions of the peace after Easter, 172*

By the *Justices of the Peace*, then and there assembled the  
Day and Year abovesaid, according to the Tenour, Form  
and Effect of the several Acts of Parliament in that  
Case made and provided :

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Done in three Columns ; the First the Rates of Wages for  
the County of York, and further Northward ; the Second  
Column calculated for the Counties of *Leicester and  
Nottingham* ; and the Third for the Counties near *London*.

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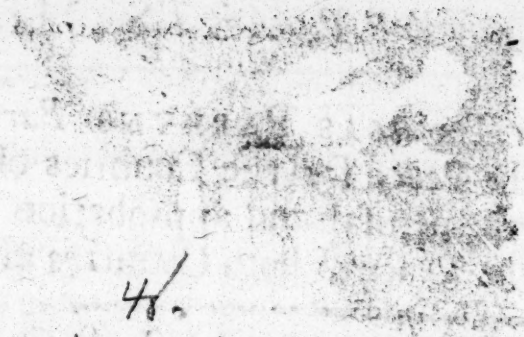
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Method propos'd for Hiring and Recording of Servants &c.  
 At a General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at  
 for the County of \_\_\_\_\_ after Easter the  
 Day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ Year of the Reign of  
 our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God, of Great-Britain France  
 and Ireland, King defender of the Faith &c. Anno Dom. 172



HEREAS several and many Inconveni-  
 ences, Costs, Damages, and Charges, do  
 frequently happen and arise in several Pa-  
 rishes concerning the Removing (and Ap-  
 peals thereon) setting and placing of Ser-  
 vants, for want of a true Account in writ-  
 ing given by each respective Master, Mis-  
 tress, or Dame, to the chief Constable of their  
 Division of the time of Hiring, certainty  
 of Wages, and Names of Servants, which  
 have been very much neglected.

And further, WHEREAS Complaint is often and frequently  
 made unto us His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, by the several Rectors  
 and Vicars, upon their respective Cures, that several Servants within  
 their respective Parishes, do often and frequently subtract, withdraw  
 and fail, in the true Payment of their Oblations, &c. the certainty  
 of which the said Rectors and Vicars cannot obtain, by reason of the  
 said Servants Names, with the certainty of their Wages, they not  
 being Recorded by the chief Constables as afore-said; upon which  
 Complaints, We the said Justices do issue out our Precepts or War-  
 rants in writing under our Hands and Seals, to summons the said  
 Servants to Appear before us, in order to hear and determine the said  
 Complaints; which cannot so easily be done for want of true certainty  
 of Wages, they not being Recorded as aforesaid.

It is therefore Ordered by this Court, that the Justices of the Peace  
 of this County at their Monthly Meetings, twice in the Year at the  
 least; (viz) The first Monthly Meeting for the relief of the Poor &c. after  
 the Feast of St. Martin the Bishop. And the Monthly Meeting &c. im-  
 mediately preceeding the Feast of St. Thomas a Beckett) Require the  
 several petty Constables within their respective Hundreds and Divi-  
 sions, to give an Account in Writing to the chief Constable of their  
 respective

respective Division and no other, what number and sort of Men and Women Servants each Inhabitant within his Constabulary hath, and what Wages every Master gives to every particular Servant.

That one, or more of the next *Justices of the Peace* be present at every *Statute* or petty *Sessions*; and that the *Bailiffs* of every Hundred and their *Deputies*, together with the chief *Constables* be summoned to give their Attendance at the said *Statute* or petty *Sessions*; and that the said *Sessions* be kept only in the Month of <sup>next,</sup> upon such Days as the *Justices* of the *Peace* of the Division shall Appoint for the Recording all such Servants as shall be Hir'd at the said *Statute* or petty *Sessions*.

And it is hereby further Ordered, that the said chief *Constable* shall take two-Pence for Recording each Servant so Hir'd.

It is hereby further Ordered that the several chief *Constables* in their respective Hundreds and Divisions, do immediately after the said petty *Sessions* or *Statutes* issue out their Precepts to all the petty *Constables* in their respective Divisions, requiring them to bring and deliver to them a List in writing, of the Names and Sir-Names of all the Masters and Servants within their several respective Constableries, with the time the Servants hir'd for, and true rates of Wages, with the Masters and Servants Hands to the Contracts, for which the said petty *Constable* shall take four Pence, (viz) two Pence for himself, for his labour in taking and delivering the said Hiring out of the Statutes to the chief *Constable*; and two-Pence for the chief *Constable* for filing the same, and entring into his Book each Servant as shall be so privately hir'd, whether before or after the said Statutes or petty *Sessions*.

And to the end that Masters and Servants may not be ignorant of the Law, they may take Notice that it is Enacted by the 5th of *Eliz.* Chap. 4. That no Person who shall retain any Servant, shall put away his or her Servant before the end of his or her Term, without reasonable and sufficient Cause, to be allow'd before some *Justice of the Peace* of the County or Place, nor at the end of his or her Term, without one Quarter's warning given before the said End or Term is expir'd, (to be prov'd by two Witnesses) in pain of 40. s.

That if any Person shall by any secret ways or means directly or indirectly hire, retain or keep any Servant, Workman or Labourer, or give greater Wages than are hereby appointed, he shall suffer Imprisonment by the space of ten Days without Bail, and shall forfeit five Pounds.

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That no Servant lawfully retain'd shall depart from his or her Master's, Mistress or Dame's Service before the end of his or her Term, without reasonable and sufficient Cause, to be allow'd as aforesaid; nor at the end of his or her Term, without one Quarter's warning given before the said End or Term is expir'd in the presence of two lawful Witnesses; in pain of Imprisonment by the space of one Month, without Bail. Or by Statute 7 Jac. Chap. 4. One Justice may send him to the House of Correction, there to be punish'd as an Idle Person; till he give security to serve the Time agreed. 7 Jac. C. 4.

That if any Person betwixt the age of twelve Years and sixty, liable to be retain'd by the said Statute, and not retain'd, shall upon request made by any Person who shall want a Servant, or by the Church-Wardens and Overseers of the Poor of that Town or Parish, &c. wherein they are legally settled refuse to serve for the Wages hereby set in Husbandry, or in Arts, and Mysteries, mention'd in the said Statute, or Promise, or Covenant to serve, and do not serve according to the Tenour of the same, such Persons so Offending shall suffer Imprisonment without Bail, till he shall be bound to the Party or Parish to whom the Offence shall be made, to serve and continue with him for the Wages hereby set.

That all and every such Person and Persons (being at Liberty and not already retain'd) as shall and may be hir'd for the whole, or part of the Harvest time, shall be certified by the petty Constable and Recorded by the chief Constable as above, for which they shall have the said Præmium and Reward; and the chief Constable's Certificate from under his Hand to a Justice of the Peace, shall be sufficient to determine between the Master and Servant, to avoid the trouble of bringing many Witnesses to prove the Contract in the height of Harvest.

One Justice may Command such as he thinks fit to work at Harvest, and if any shall refuse so to do, he may put them in the Stocks for a Day and a Night: And all Artificers (except Blacksmiths) may be compell'd to work in Hay-time and Harvest, and if they refuse, they will be liable to the same Penalties.

That if any Person shall be retain'd, and take greater Wages than are hereby set, he shall suffer Imprisonment for one and twenty Days without Bail.

That no Artificer, or Labourer, that shall be lawfully retain'd in, for the building or repairing of any House, or any other Work taken by

by the Great or Lump, or any Coal Work, or any Work belonging thereto by the Great or Lump, shall leave the same before it be quite finish'd except for non Payment of Wages, the King's Service or other lawful Cause or without Leave, License, or consent of the Master or Owner of the Work, or of them that have the Charge thereof, in pain of one Month's Imprisonment without Bail, and forfeit to the Party griev'd five Pounds, besides his costs and charges at Common-Law.

41. *Edw. 3.* That no Servant shall after the time of his retainer expir'd, depart out of one County, Wapentake, City, Town or Parish to serve in another without a Testimonial and Certificate, from under the Hand and Seals of his Master, Mistress, or Dame? the Constable of the Place and two honest Householders where he last liv'd; nor be retain'd without shewing such Testimonial or Certificate under pain of Imprisonment, till he procure such Testimonial. And that no Master shall retain a Servant without such a Testimonial or Certificate, in pain of five Pounds. Which said Testimonial is directed by the said Statute, to be written and deliver'd to the said Servant, and to be Registered by the Parson Vicar or Curate of the Parish, where such Master, Mistress, or Dame doth or shall Dwell, taking for the doing thereof two-Pence and no more: And the Form thereof to be as followeth. (*viz*)


*Memorandum, That A. B. Servant to C. D. of E. in the County of N. Husbandman (or Taylor, as the case shall be) is Licensed to depart from his Master, and is at liberty to serve elsewhere, according to the Statute in that Case made and provided. In Witness whereof we the Master, Constable and Inhabitants of the said Town of E. have hereunto set our Hands and Seals the*  
*Day of* *Anno Dom. 172*

C. —	D.	Master.
G. —	H.	Constable.
I —	K. }	Two
L —	M }	Inhabitants.

And lastly, It is Ordered by this Court, that One or more Copies hereof, according to the bigness of the Town or Parish be sent to  
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every Township within this County by the several chief Constables, and that the same be Published in every Market-Town at the Market-Cross, between the Hours of Twelve and One, upon some Market-Day before Michaelmas the usual time of the chief Constables holding their Statutes or petty Sessions, by the Bailiffs of the respective Hundreds and Wapentakes. And also that the petty Constables do to every particular Family within their respective Constaberies and declare the Contents of this Order and Rates of Wages. And after to fix One of the said Copies at a time, (viz) the first a Week before Michaelmas, and the other on or before Midsummer-Day, upon the Church or Chapel Doors, or in some other publick and notorious Place within their respective Townships at the times forementioned.

 N. B. Noblemen, Clergymen, and Gentlemen, are exempted from Recording, or the Rates of Wages following; whilst oblig'd in Honour and Conscience to pay their respective Servants Wages, who, upon Non Payment may bring their Actions at Common-Law.

And no Justice of the Peace can make a fair Decision betwixt Master and Servant, with a good Conscience, without the Methods propos'd.

And those Justices of the Peace are to blame, who undertake to determine Differences betwixt Master and Servant, who shall not be Hir'd and Recorded as aforesaid.



Nott. ff. Octob. 9th 1721. A Specimen  
made between

Towns Names }	Masters Names }	Servants Names }
Allackton	Tho. Carpindale.	Joshua Gregg.
	- - - - -	Bartal Jackson.
	- - - - -	Mary Worthington
	- - - - -	Sarah Tomlin,
	Rich. Burges	John Raworth.
	- - - - -	Elizabeth Rose.
Barnston	Tho. Carpindale	Tho. Wilde.
	John Oliver.	Jane Harston
	Henry James.	Anne Doubleday.
	Tho. Huckerby.	Anne Richmond.
	Mr. John Frost.	Mary Beaklow.
	- - - - -	Tho. Taylor.
Bingham	Tho. Claytor.	John Sheperds.
	Hen. James.	Mary Braunson.
	Joh. Hutchinson	Mary Thornton
	William Brooks	Margret Lavage.
	John White.	Anne Waid.
	- - - - -	Mary Ward.
East-Bridgford	Robert Mawle.	Anthony Ward
	- - - - -	Thomas Roe.
	Joh. Hutchinson	Edward Dodson
	- - - - -	William Braunson
	Samuel Richards	Mary Pacie.
	Will. Jallands	Thomas Allcock
East-Bridgford	Henry Ragsdale.	Henry Selby.
	- - - - -	Mary Watson

N. B. The Servants Names against the dotted Line



# Record of mutual Agreements Masters and Servants.

Earnest paid.	Wages to pay.			Term in Months	Taylor Meat Days	Wool in Pounds	Cloth in Yards &c.
	s.	d.	l.				
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2 : 6	05	02	06	12	00	00	
I : 0	01	02	00	09	00	00	
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I : 0	01	10	00	12	00	01	
I : 0	01	14	00	12	00	00	
5 : 0	02	00	00	12	02	00	
I : 0	02	00	00	12	02	00	
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belong to those Masters whose Names are above the dotted Lines

N. B. That this is the Method that I take to mention the full Agreement made between Masters and Servants, they both coming to the *Book* together at the *Statute* or petty *Sessions* when they are Hir'd, to give me an Account of their Agreement : After I have entered it into my Book I read it over to them, to let them hear there be no mistake ; but if any Servants are hir'd privately at Home, and out of my *Statutes*, the petty Constable's Certificate with the Master's and Servants Hands to the Contract may be, and is, a sufficient Satisfaction for me to Record by, which I first file, and then enter into my Book of Records as above, and ready upon occasion to prove the Contracts betwixt Master and Servant, with more ease for Justices of the peace to Determine the same ; the Oblations due to the Clergy, and Servants Settlements.

In the Margin is the Towns Names ; in the first Column the Masters Names ; the second the Servants Names ; the third is the Earnest or Binding-penny the Master pays to the Servant when he hires him ; the fourth fifth and sixth, is the Wages to pay in *Pounds Skillings and Pence* ; the seventh is the term of Time they are hir'd for in Months ; the eighth is Taylors Meat in Days, some Servants making their Agreement to have him found with Meat and Drink in their Masters House, while their Cloaths are making or mending for Day or Days ; the ninth is Wool in *Pounds* ; some Servants making their Agreement to have a pound or pounds of Wool to make them *Stockings* of ; the tenth is Cloth in Yards and other Considerations.

After this manner I *John Oliver*, chief Constable for the North Division of Bingham Hundred, in a little above quarter of a Year have Recorded three Hundred, Eighty and Five Servants ; which I have done very readily without much trouble, as appears by, and after the Method aforementioned



# A Limitation and Appointment of the several Rates of Wages, &c.

*Apprentices of many Artificers.*

Nottinghamshire  
and  
Leicester.

*l. s. d.*

In Summer per Day without Meat —  
with Meat —

0 0 8.

In Winter per Day without Meat —  
with Meat —

0 0 4.

0 0 6.

0 0 3.

*Arrow-Head makers*, his Servant  
per Annum. —

3 0 0.

*Baker*, his Setter, Seasoner and  
Turner, per Annum. —

4 10 0.

His common Servant, per Ann. —

3 0 0.

*Blaksmith*, his best Servant  
per Annum. —

4 0 0.

His common Servant per Ann. —

3 0 0.

*Brewer*, Head Brewer per Ann. —

Common Servant per Annum. —

*Bricklayer*, in Summer per Day —  
without Meat —

{ 0 0 10.

{ 0 1 0.

{ 0 1 2.

{ 0 0 6.

{ 0 0 8.

with Meat — —

*Brickmaker*, for digging, turn-  
ing, making and burning,  
per Thousand. — —

0 5 0.

Temperers per Thousand — —

0 0 10.

Carriers per Day — —

0 0 6.

Moulders per Thousand — —

0 1 0.

*Butcher*, his Servant per Ann. —

4 0 0.

*Carpenter;*

Nottingham  
and  
Leicester.

l. s. d.

*Carpenter*, from Easter to Michaelmas, without Meat and Drink per Day —  
with Meat and Drink —

{ 0 0 10.

{ 0 1 0.

{ 0 1 2.

{ 0 0 4.

{ 0 0 6.

{ 0 0 8.

{ 0 0 8.

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from Michaelmas to Easter  
without Meat —

*Carver*, Summer and Winter per Day without Meat  
with Meat —  
*Servant* without Meat —  
with Meat —

0 1 6.

0 0 10.

0 0 10.

0 0 6.

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3 10 0.

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*Cook*, his Servant per Annum. —  
*Cooper*, his best Servant per Ann. —  
his second Servant per Annum —  
*Carrier*, his best Servant per Ann. —  
his common Servant per Annum —  
*Cutler*, his Foreman per Annum. —  
his common Servant per Annum. —

## Colliers.

A Collier that is skillful in getting Coals without Meat and Drink, shall take per Day not Exceeding. — — — — —

0 1 0.

A Filler or Barrower of Coals without Meat and Drink per Day, at most. — — — — —

0 0 10.

A Banks-man or drawer up of Coals, without Meat and Drink per Day. — — — — —

0 0 8.

A Drawer away upon Corfs each Day that he Works at most. — — — — —

0 0 10.

He that strikes the Corf each Day that he Works at most. — — — — —

0 0 9

A Loader



Notttingham  
and  
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l. s. d.

A Loader under Ground each Day that he Works not Exceeding. ——— ——— ———

• 1 •.

The Boy that drives the Horle that turns up the Coals, not Exceeding 18 pence per Week, so he Works but 4 Days in the Week, as the Bailiff, or Pitt-Master, or Staver shall direct. —

• 1 6.

The Boys or Youths that draws the Corfe when loaded from the Wall to the Pitt bottem, hling of Sleek and other Work from 6 pence, pence, 8 pence, 9 pence and not Exceeding 10 pence per Day, according to their Age and length each Day they Work.

N. B. All Colliers Wages and Rates of Wages, the same Winter and Summer.

Hoalers, Drivers, and Underground Workers, generally have with us in Leicestershire per Day Summer. ——— ——— ——— ——— ———

0 1 2.

the same Men in Winter per Diem. ——— ———

0 1 0.

Waftmen who remove and set the Wood, Gigs who take off the Skeps of Coals at the Pitt-mouth, and Bottomers who hang them on at the bottom, per Diem in Summer. ——— ———

0 1 2.

the same Men in Winter per Day. ———

0 1 0.

Drawers upon Corfe above Ground per Day. —

0 0 9.

N. B. Where the Works are Shallower and drier, the pay of Underground Workmen is more or less proportionable as the Work is for depth and Shallowness. Wet or Dryness.

per, his Wringer and under per Annum. ——— ———

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pitching, out of the whole Ground not wide, 3 Foot deep, and 1 Foot bottom, per Rod. ——— ———

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Nottingham  
and  
Leicester

l. s. d.

if 9 Foot wide, 4 Foot deep, and  
4 Foot in the Bottom, per Rod —  
cleanfing to be Bargain'd for ac-  
cording to the foulnefs.

0 1 0.

*Glasier*, in Summer per Day  
without Meat. ———

0 1 4.

with Meat. ———

0 0 8.

in Winter per Day without  
Meat. ——— ———

0 1 2.

with Meat. ——— ———

0 0 7.

*Glover*, his Water-man per Ann. ---  
his common Servant. ———

5 0 6.

3 10 0.

3 0 0.

*Hatter*, his common Servant per Ann. -

N.B. 28 Yards to the Acre.

*Hedging*, Dead Hedging per Acre  
viz. 28 Yards. ——— ———

0 0 6.

Planting and cutting Quick per Acre.

0 0 8.

Quick setting per Acre. ———

0 1 4.

*Hpp-picking*, per Day. ——— —

0 0 6.

*Foyner*, per Day without Meat. —

0 1 6.

with Meat. ——— ———

0 0 10.

his Servant per Day without Meat. --

0 1 0.

with Meat. ——— ———

0 0 6.

Labourers in Husbandry.

**A** Man for Ditching, Pailing, Railing,  
Hedging, Threshing and other Labou-  
rers Work, from the Feast of St. Martin to Can-  
dlemas Day, shall take for Wages by the Day  
with Meat and Drink not above. ———

l. s. d.

0 0 3.

and from Martinmas till Candlemas, without  
Meat and Drink per Day, not above. ——— —

0 0 6.

and from Candlemas to Martinmas, with Meat  
and Drink per Day, not Exceeding. ———

0 0 4.

and without Meat and Drink not Exceedin<sup>g</sup> —

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l. s. d.

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Meat and Drink per Day, not above. ———

0 0 6.

and from Candlemaſ to Martinmaſ, with Meat  
and Drink per Day, not Exceeding. ———

0 0 4.

and without Meat and Drink not Exceedin<sup>g</sup> —

0 0 9.

Lath Cleever



Since, by a Prodigious  
reversal of Nature we are viler & contemptible  
than our slaves, of our servants & equals, of our fellow  
Citizens & Countrymen to be sworn to their Recording  
in every Session. And both Constables, to be called  
an account by any one Justice of the Peace for  
want of what names they have taken and re-  
corded for Recording servants Privately, and o-  
therwise; and who have not entered the  
names be. into the Chief Recording book nor re-  
corded 2 pence, for each servant by Recording as  
in 34th. ~~For~~ Servants that shall exceed 12  
days (viz) men above 3. 4 or 5 pounds, and women  
above 40 or 50 shillings, shall be taxed 4 shillings  
10 pence for all above 3 pounds men, and 40 shillings  
women.

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Lath-Cleeve, per Hundred. —

Lime Burner, per Annum. —

l. s. d.

## Labourers in Harvest.

A Mower of Grass and Corn, shall take by the Day with Meat and Drink, not Exceeding. —  
and without Meat and Drink not Exceeding. —

0 0 6.

0 1 0.

A Man-Shearer of Corn, with Meat and Drink per Day, not Exceeding. — — —

0 0 6.

and without Meat and Drink not Exceeding. —

0 1 0.

A Man Haymaker or Weeder of Corn, with Meat and Drink per Day, not Exceeding. —

0 0 4.

and without Meat and Drink not Exceeding. —

0 0 8.

A Woman-Shearer of Corn, with Meat and Drink per Day, not Exceeding. — — —

0 0 4.

and without Meat and Drink not Exceeding. —

0 0 6.

A Woman-Haymaker or Weeder, with Meat and Drink per Day not Exceeding. — — —

0 0 2.

and without Meat and Drink not above. — — —

0 0 4.

A Woman shall take but half as much (*viz.*) —

0 0 2.

## Mowers.

None shall take for Mowing an Acre of Meadow (Statute Measure) Grass, not above. — — —

0 0 4.

except upon Ground full of Hillocks. — — —

0 1 0.

For an Acre of Oats and Barley but Six-pence, by reason a Man may Mow three Acres of Oats or Barley, for one of Grass, and go three times as far with once Whetting.

0 0 6.

## Men-Servants.

A Bayliff or Foreman in Husbandry, that is hired with a Gentleman or Yeoman that does not work himself, but putteth his whole Charge to his Servant, shall take by the Year with Meat and Drink and Livery, not above. — — —

4 10 0

and without a Livery not Exceeding. — — —

5 0 0.

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Nottingham  
and  
Leicester  
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A chief Servant in Husbandry to a Husbandman, that can Mow and Sow well, and do other Husbandry, shall take by the Year with Meat and Drink.

5 0 0.

An ordinary Servant, that can Mow and Sow well with Meat and Drink. ————

3 10 0.

A young Man between the Age of 12 and 16, shall take with Meat and Drink, not above. —

1 17 0.

Mason, Free Mason in Summer per Day without Meat. ————

0 1 4.

with Meat per Day.

0 0 8.

in Winter per Day without Meat. —

0 1 0.

with Meat. ————

0 0 6.

Millwright, In Summer per Day

without Meat ————

0 2 0.

with Meat ————

0 1 4.

in Winter per Day ————

0 1 6.

with Meat ————

0 0 10.

Miller.

A Miller that is skillfull in mending his Mill (*viz.*) the running Geer, with Meat and Drink not Exceeding.

4 10 0.

One that is not so skillful.

3 10 0.

Paling, by the Rod with one Rail even headed, ————

uneven headed. ————

Pewterer, his Foreman per Annum. =

his other Servant ———— =

Plaisfurer, in Summer per Day

without Meat. ————

with Meat per Day. ————

Winter per Day without Meat. =

with Meat. ————

Ploughman



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Ploughman, head Ploughman per Ann. —	5 0 0.
his under Ploughman per Annum. —	3 10 0.
his Boy from 14 to 18 per Annum. —	1 17 0.
Plumber, in Summer per Day	
without Meat. —	0 1 8.
with Meat. = = =	0 0 10.
in Winter per Day without Meat. =	0 1 4.
with Meat. = = = =	0 0 8.
Potter, his Servant per Annum. =	
Railing, by the Rod single Rail. =	
Double Rail. = = = =	
Reaping, viz. under Title Labourers in Harvest.	
Sadler, his best Servant per Ann. =	
his common Servant. —	
Sawyers, by the Day the same as Bricklayers.	
by the Hundred oak Boards. —	0 2 6.
Elm or Ash. —	0 2 4.
Slitting. —	0 2 8.
Servants, viz. Men and Women Servants.	
Shoemaker, his best Servant per Ann. —	
other Servant per Annum —	
Sheerman, per Annum. —	
Shipwright, Master Hower per	
Day without Meat. —	
with Meat. —	
Clencher per Day with Meat. —	
with Meat. —	
Cawker per Day without Meat. —	
with Meat. —	
per Day without Meat. —	
with Meat. —	

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Spurrier, his Servant per Ann. ---

Tanner, his Market-man ---

Taylor, his Foreman per  
Week in Market Towns. ---

Sewer per Week ---

in the Country per day

4 d. 5 d. and 6 d.

Thatcher, in Summer per Day  
without Meat. = = =

with Meat. = =

in Winter per Day without Meat. ---

with Meat.

Thresher, viz. Labourers in Husbandry

Tilemaker, his Servant per Thousand  
without Meat. =

for Ridge Tiles per Hundred. =

for Corner and Gutter-Tile per Hund.

Tyler, the same with Sawyer per Day

Turner, his Servant per Ann.

#### Women-Servants.

A Woman-Servant that taketh Charge of Brew-  
ing, Baking and of the Kitchen and Milk-House  
that is hir'd with a Gentleman's Wife who does  
not take the Charge upon herself. ---

2 10 0.

A Woman-Servant that serveth an Husband-  
man or Farmer, &c. or any other Woman-Servant  
shall take by the Year not Exceeding. ---

2 0 0.

A young Maiden under the Age of Sixteen  
Years shall take by the Year not exceeding. ---

1 5 0.

A Maid-Servant aged 16 and under 20. ---

1 10 0.

Provided always and nevertheless it is ordered, that in such Places of  
the said County where less Wages have been given than are hereby ap-  
pointed, within one Year past; that such less Wages shall be given and  
aken still; in the said Places, this Order, or any other rate of Wages to  
the contrary notwithstanding.



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